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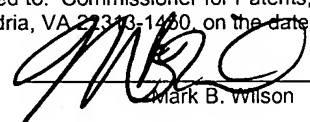
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RE: *U.S. Patent Application No. 10/068,232 entitled "METHOD FOR SURFACE POLISHING OF AN OPTICAL ARTICLE USING A SOLVENT OR A MIXTURE OF SOLVENTS" by Aude Prieur-Blanc et al.*  
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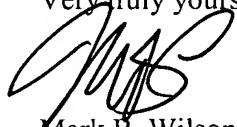
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Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- (1) Amendment; Response to the Office Action Dated January 2, 2004 and Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time;
- (2) A check in the amount of \$950.00; and
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Applicant: Prieur-Blanc *et al.*

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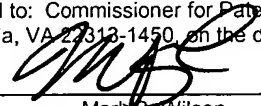
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Sir:

Applicants submit this Response to the Office Action dated January 2, 2004 (the Action)  
for the above-referenced case. Consideration of this case in view of this Response is requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**A Response to the Office Action** begins on 5 of this paper.

**A Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time** begins on 13 of this paper.

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